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FTD REGULATION 23-2

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Organization and Mission - Field

DETACHMENT 4

This regulation prescribes the mission and responsibilities of Detachment 4, Foreign Technology Division (FTD) [REDACTED]

1. Mission. Detachment 4 provides scientific and technical intelligence (S&TI) support [REDACTED] Detachment 4 provides direct support to unified and Air Force component commanders to satisfy the S&TI requirements of operational units in their theater of operations.

[REDACTED] prepares, trains, and maintains readiness to meet wartime mission responsibilities according to the FTD War and Mobilization Plan and operational command plans; provides planning assistance, coordination, and support [REDACTED] of FTD and other U.S. agencies engaged in intelligence support to operational commands.

2. Organization. Detachment 4 is directly subordinate to HQ FTD, and is accorded Directorate status.

3. Communications:

a. Continental United States (CONUS). Address all matters requiring command-level attention to the Commander (CC), FTD. Address substantive, functional mission related and support activities to the appropriate HQ FTD Director. Analyst-to-analyst interface is encouraged to enhance information exchange. Communications with non-FTD CONUS agencies will be through FTD/DC or the relevant Director.

b. Intratheater. Detachment 4 is authorized direct communications with other intelligence organizations, [REDACTED] for the purpose of support to S&TI production, other theater elements to provide S&TI support, and organizations involved with FTD under existing formal agreements.

c. Tasking. HQ FTD support required by Detachment 4 to respond to operational command S&TI needs, or to conduct other mission-related activities will be addressed to the appropriate FTD Director through the Production Programs Branch (FTD/XCFP), or directly to XOPF when unsure of relevant Directorate.

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d. Management Information. Status of ongoing activities and current actions will be provided, via a monthly activities report, to FTD/CC with information copy to FTD/XOX (Detachment Affairs). XOX will monitor all communications and provide necessary support.

4. Responsibilities. Detachment 4 is directly responsible to HQ FTD for mission accomplishment. Detachment 4:

a. Plans, organizes, and develops a capability to provide timely, direct S&TI support to [REDACTED] through the operating command intelligence offices; assist in identifying and focusing operational S&TI needs, develops and maintains a responsive support data base, and evaluate user satisfaction. Promotes the FTD mission, products, and available support services through direct and routine interface with operating elements.

b. Generates a data base and produces intelligence information reports on [REDACTED] via a focus on worldwide S&TI information opportunities. Opportunities may include [REDACTED]

c. Develops and maintains a complementary mode of operations with the Air Force [REDACTED] agreements to ensure FTD S&TI [REDACTED] are satisfied. Provides technical direction, guidance, and interpretation of S&TI requirements to local [REDACTED]

d. Plans, prepares, and maintains capability to perform wartime mission in coordination with [REDACTED] wartime plans. Participates in theater and joint wartime exercises.

e. Supports [REDACTED] other U.S. agencies, and third party [REDACTED] to maintain effective S&TI technical [REDACTED] and data assessment.

f. Provides analytical support to HQ FTD elements as required and act as theater focal point for exchange of technical information.

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES

Emphasized S&TI support to operation elements; de-emphasizes collection.

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